

Reply to: 2430
Date: 12/02/2021

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 01/04/2022, at 10:00 AM, initial bids for Oral Auction will be opened in the Boise National Forest Supervisor's Office, 1249 S. Vinnell Way, Suite 200, Boise, ID 83709 for the Pine Campgrounds sale. This sale is located in T. 2 N., R. 10 E., Sections 5 and 7. Timber sale Contract 2400-6T will be used. The termination date for this sale is 04/30/2022.

The estimated quantities in this contract have been determined prior to felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 401 CCF. The Forest Service encourages potential bidders to make their own inspection and estimate prior to bid submission. The Forest Service makes no representation, warranty, or guarantee of the accuracy of the following quantity estimates:

Estimated Quantities and Minimum Acceptable Rates per Unit of Measure							Required Deposits	
Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Average DBH	Minimum Acceptable Bid Rates	Base Rates	Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Ponderosa Pine	Sawtimber	CCF	401.00	N/A	\$9.98	\$0.25	\$11.91	\$0.37
	Total	CCF	401.00				\$4,775.91	\$148.37

The minimum acceptable bid for advertised timber is \$4,001.98 for the biddable species.

There is a \$500.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

The USDA is making every effort during this pandemic to ensure continued delivery of our services while still trying to minimize the spread of the COVID-19 virus. Our offices are temporarily closed; therefore, on the day of the oral auction please arrive early and follow the directions that will be posted on all the exterior doors. Please plan on bringing all your own supplies such as pens, calculators, note pads, envelopes, or any other items you might need, as none will be provided. Masks are currently required in all Federal facilities.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write the Mountain Home Ranger District, 3080 Industrial Way, Mountain Home, ID 83647, or call Nelson Mills at 208-721-1252; or the Boise National Forest Supervisor's Office, 1249 S. Vinnell Way, Suite 200, Boise, ID 83709, ATTN: Mary Keeler or call 208-373-4184. Information is also available online at www.fs.usda.gov/boise and click on Timber Sales.

Sincerely,

MARY J. KEELER
Contracting Officer

Enclosure